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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
KNIGHT et al.

Confirmation No. 9655

Serial No.: 09/459,108

Examiner: Khanh B. Duong

Filed: December 10, 1999

Group Art Unit: 2822

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR NON-CONDUCTIVELY
INTERCONNECTING
INTEGRATED CIRCUITS

Attorney Docket No.: 7828-012-999

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION MAILED MARCH 12, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

The enclosed Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated March 12, 2003 for the above-identified patent application.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated March 12, 2003, be extended for a period of 3 months from June 12, 2003, to and including September 12, 2003.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$465.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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